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## COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

**W. A. JOHNSON** JOHN T. HAMMOND.  
**W. A. JOHNSON & CO.**  
WHOLESALE GROCERS,  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
And Dealers in  
ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.  
Have on hand GIBSON'S XX, XXX, XXXX  
and PURE OLD RYE, OLD CABINET  
and MONROE WHISKIES; also BAK-  
ERS and THOMPSON'S PURE RYE  
WHISKIES, to which they invite the attention  
of the trade.  
Also agents for the sale of LAFLIN &  
RAND'S RIFLE POWDER.  
Orders from the country for merchandise shall  
receive prompt attention.  
Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country  
Produce solicited, for which they guarantee the  
highest market prices and prompt returns.  
North-east corner of Cameron and Royal sts.,  
Alexandria, Va. my 12

## HARLOW BROS.

WHOLESALE  
GROCERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
And Dealers in  
JOHN GIBSON'S SON & CO'S CABINET  
XX, XXX and XXX WHISKIES, and  
Thompson's Pure Rye Whiskey; Foreign  
Wines and Brandy, Ale, Porter  
and Champagnes.

**N. W. COOK CAMERON AND ROYAL STS.**  
Coffee roasted for the trade at 75c per sack.  
my 11-12

**CHAS. S. TAYLOR, JR.**  
(Late of J. T. Beckham & Co.)  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
Agent for  
J. R. FICKLEN & SONS'  
CELEBRATED BRIDGEWATER FAMILY  
FLOUR,  
11 North Union street,  
Alexandria, Virginia.

**HARMON & SMITH,**  
GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
Corner Prince and Royal sts.,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
A choice line of FAMILY GROCERIES al-  
ways in stock and for sale at lowest market  
prices. Consignments solicited and prompt re-  
turns made. Jan 14-15

**J. C. MILBURN,**  
WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER  
TEA DEALER AND COMMISSION  
MERCHANT,  
No. 19 North Royal st., near Market space,  
Alexandria, Va.  
Consignments and orders will receive careful  
and prompt attention. my 20

**THOMAS PERKY, Agent.**  
GENERAL  
COMMISSION MERCHANT  
No. 17 King street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Agent for the sale of  
**ISAAU WENGER'S**  
CELEBRATED FAMILY FLOUR.  
Jan 18-19

**PHILIP B. HOOE,**  
NO. 2 PRINCE STREET  
GENERAL  
COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANT  
Dealer in all kinds of  
FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER  
Agent of the  
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE IN-  
SURANCE COMPANY.  
Feb 5-11

**NEW AUCTION AND COMMISSION  
HOUSE.**  
We have opened at No. 22 ROYAL ST. an  
Auction and Commission House.  
We are now ready to receive all kinds of mer-  
chandise and household goods on consignment  
or purchase the same.  
We think it may prove an advantage to per-  
sons who have PRODUCE of any description  
to send it to us. Located immediately opposite  
the main entrance to the Market on Royal st.,  
goods can be exposed every morning at public  
auction, when the best prices may be expected.  
Prompt returns made on sales.  
Persons having FURNITURE for sale will  
find it to their advantage to give us a call.  
We will attend to auctioneering at public sales  
of property, and respectfully solicit a share of  
public patronage. O'NEAL & LUGAS.  
Auction goods constantly on hand and for  
sale. nov 5-11

**W. A. SMOOT,**  
DEALER IN  
COAL, SALT AND PLASTER  
SMOOT'S WHARF,  
(Foot of Princess st.),  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
Feb 21-11

**WASHINGTON & BROTHER**  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
NO. 20 UNION STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all  
kinds of Country Produce solicited. Special  
attention given to all business entrusted to them.  
Prompt returns made. my 24

**GROCERIES AND LIQUORS.**  
**J. BRODERS & CO.**  
Wholesale Dealers and Jobbers in  
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FLOUR,  
SALT AND FISH.  
A full line of celebrated pure, old Whiskies,  
Brandies, Gins, Rums, &c., Massey & Co's Phila-  
delphia and Claret's Baltimore Ales, and Ber-  
ner & Engel's Lager Beer, in cases or bottles.  
Agents for James S. Welch's Best Family  
Flour, James S. Kirk & Co's Standard Soaps,  
Dupont & Co's Sporting and Blasting Gun-  
powder, and Baltimore and Potomac River  
Steamers.  
Orders promptly attended to, and consigna-  
ments solicited. No. 11 King street,  
Alexandria, Va. oct 25-11

**R. W. AVERY**  
Dealer in  
CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROC-  
ERIES, WINE LIQUORS, &c., &c.,  
226 King st., cor. Alfred,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
sep 8

**JOS. HIGGINS,**  
Plumber and Steam Fitter,  
NO. 19 SOUTH PITT STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
All orders promptly attended to. my

**CROQUET SETS AND CHILDREN'S  
CARRIAGES.**  
A full line at prices to suit the times at  
ap 23  
**C. O. BERRY'S.**  
RECEIVED THIS DAY—A CHOICE LOT  
OF ROLL BUTTER.  
ap 8  
**W. A. JOHNSON & CO**  
FIVE PACKAGES CHOICE NEW YORK  
BUTTER, fresh, just received by  
my 7  
**J. C. MILBURN.**

## GROCERIES.

**SPRING LEAF TEA!**  
**SPRING LEAF TEA!**  
**FIFTY CENTS A POUND.**

A LARGE ADDITIONAL SUPPLY HAS  
JUST ARRIVED.

The splendid quality of this TEA, which has  
now become celebrated, has been  
fully kept up.

None can be purchased except at 1832 F  
street, Washington, D. C., the sale  
being controlled by virtue  
of patent right to  
trade mark.

**N. W. BURCHELL,**  
1332 F STREET,  
my 31-1w  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**GEORGE'S**  
**WESTPHALIA HAMS**  
Are the finest Hams ever sold in this market.  
Price 14 cts. per lb. For sale only by

**G. WM. RAMSAY,**  
Corner King and St. Asaph streets.

**2500 LBS**  
**FINE OLD JAVA COFFEE**  
**1800 LBS**  
**CHOICE LAGUAYRA.**  
**1500 LBS**  
**FINE AND MEDIUM RIOS.**  
FOR SALE BY  
**G. WM. RAMSAY,**  
Corner King and St. Asaph sts.

**BEST AND CHEAPEST.**  
**BABBITT'S**  
**BEST SOAP.**  
Four Cakes for twenty-five cts.

FOR SALE BY  
**G. WM. RAMSAY,**  
Corner King and St. Asaph sts.

**NEW BOOKS, MAGAZINES, REVIEWS**  
**AND MONTHLIES AT FRENCH'S, 95**  
**KING STREET.**  
The Life and Services of Commodore Josiah  
Tattnall, by Charles O. Jones, Jr.; \$2.  
Cupid on Crutches, or One Summer at Narra-  
nassett Pier, by A. B. W., of the Elmwood  
Club; 75c.  
Wired Love, a Romance of Dots and Dashes,  
by Ella Cheever Thayer; 75c.  
Just One Day; price \$1.  
Mississippi Outlaws and the Detectives, by  
Allen Pinkerton; \$1.50.  
The Great Fur Land, (Hudson's Bay territory)  
illustrated; \$1.75.  
New lot cheap edition of Taine's English Lit-  
erature, complete; \$1.25.  
In the Mist, by Rose Porter, author of "Sum-  
mer Driftwood"; \$1.25.  
Rhona, a novel, by Mrs. Forrester; \$1.50.  
Stories of the Old Dominion, by John Estlin  
Cooke; \$1.50.  
Montaigne, edited by Mrs. Oliphant; \$1.  
The Dogs of Great Britain, America and other  
countries, illustrated; \$2.  
For Honor's Sake; \$1.50.  
Gospel Hymns, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, with and  
without music.  
New Books daily. GEO. E. FRENCH.  
Room No. 3, Market Building. my 26

**LAST NOTICE.**  
Office of City Tax Collectors,  
May 28, 1879.  
Those persons who have not paid their city  
taxes for the year 1878, and those in arrears for  
back taxes, are notified that the collectors will  
not be able to call again upon them for a settle-  
ment. The collectors will be at their office each  
day during the present week from 8 a. m. to 5 p.  
m. and those intending payment are asked to  
call early in the week, so as to avoid the con-  
venience of the last few days. The fiscal year  
ends May 31st, and a penalty of 12 1/2 per cent will  
be imposed on all bills not paid before that time.  
By a notice published elsewhere in the Gazette  
it will be seen that all real estate upon which  
taxes remain unpaid will be sold June 18, 1879.  
JNO. T. HILL, J. S. K. FIELD, Collectors.  
Room No. 3, Market Building. my 26

## BAKERS AND CONFECTIONERS.

**SUMMER AT BRENDEL'S**  
ICE CREAM, FRESH MILK,  
BERRIES & CREAM, PIE AND MILK.

HENRY BRENDEL will add this week to  
his establishment, 129 King street, the  
WEST GROVE DAIRY,  
supplied twice a day.  
BRENDEL'S MILK and CREAM STAND  
IN THE CITY MARKET (H. Simpson, Man-  
ager.) will offer the richest Milk and the purest  
Cream ever produced. See and you'll agree.  
Try and you'll buy. Fresh Milk will also be  
kept on draft and in ice at his King street estab-  
lishment.  
He offers Candies and Taffy of all kinds,  
Black, Fruit, Pound, Jelly and Fancy Cakes.  
Pies a specialty. Fruits, Nuts, Confectioneries,  
Water, Ice and all the delicacies of the season.  
He caters for families and entertainments, and  
supplies families with milk. my 20

**GEORGE R. HILL & CO'S.**  
**LOAF BREADS**  
We have two distinct grades upon the market.  
No. 1 is our FINE BREAD, which we re-  
commend with confidence. It is white, of rich  
flavor, and keeps fresh several days. If you are  
using this bread and do not consume it upon the  
day of its purchase, try it the next day or the  
day following before throwing it aside as stale  
and worthless.  
No. 2 is a PLAIN BREAD, its chief recom-  
mendation being cleanliness. It is white and  
keeps fresh several days.  
GEORGE R. HILL & CO'S. HOMEMADE  
BREAKFAST BISCUIT. my 8

**GEORGE R. HILL & CO.**  
STEAM MANUFACTURERS OF  
**Fine Biscuit, Crackers & Cakes,**  
Nos. 35, 37 and 39 N. Lee st.  
ALEXANDRIA, - - - VIRGINIA.

**VIRGINIA BAKERY.**  
SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET.  
BREAD! BREAD! BREAD!  
NEW PROCESS, SWEET AND DELICIOUS,  
RETAINING ITS EXCELLENCE AND  
FRESHNESS FOR SEVERAL DAYS.  
JAN. T. CRUMP.

**MINERAL WATERS.**  
**TUTT'S ICE COLD SODA AND VICHY,**  
Saratoga, Excelsior,  
Oswego, Deep Rock,  
Wiscotin, Waukeha  
Bethesda, Penn Bedford Water and  
Bouquet's Celebrated Root, Birch and  
Cider Bitters on draught.  
AT 55c. PER GLASS AT  
LUNT & DAVIDSON'S Drug store,  
Corner King and Washington sts.  
Bedford, Bethesda and Saratoga Water fresh  
from the springs at 50c per gallon. my 17

**JANNEY'S BRANCH STORE, N. W. cor-  
ner of King and Royal streets.** The follow-  
ing Mineral Water on draft at five cents per  
glass, all ice cold:  
Vichy,  
Seltzer,  
Congress,  
Bedford (Va.) Alum and Iron,  
Bedford Springs (Pa.)  
Buffalo Lithia and  
Deep Rock (Oswego).  
And in bottles, Saratoga Congress, Excelsior,  
Geyser and Harkness Springs Waters all from  
Saratoga Springs, New York, and the genuine  
imported Hunyadi Jancs and Friedrichshall  
Bitter Water. JANNEY & CO.  
my 22 Druggists, Nos. 79 and 145 King Sts.

**BEDFORD (VIRGINIA)**  
**Alum and Iron Springs Water,**  
MASS AND PILLS.  
For certain forms of Dyspepsia, Diseases Peculiar  
to Females, Chronic Diarrhoea, Bronchitis,  
Scrophulous and Cutaneous Affections, Disorders  
of the Liver, Kidneys and Bladder, Debility,  
Malaria and Headache.  
"Equal to any Water of its class known to me."  
"Satisfactory in Uterine Diseases and in Ma-  
larial conditions." G. W. VALE, M. D. Ohio.  
"Efficient in Dyspepsia and Nervous Diseases  
arising from impure blood."  
G. T. HARRISON, N. Y.  
B. ROEMER, M. D. Mo.  
"Beneficial in Malarial Fever and Dip-  
theria." S. F. DUPON, Ga.  
"Invaluable in Scrophula."  
W. J. GILBERT, M. D. N. C.  
"Recommended as a prophylactic in Yellow  
Fever Districts." D. H. FAIRBANK, M. D. La.  
The Summer Season of these Springs begins  
June 1st. Terms \$30 a month. Carriages meet  
visitors at Forest or Lawry's, each 4 miles from  
the Springs, upon advice of arrival. Accom-  
modations unequalled. All the comforts and  
attractions. Skilled resident Physician.  
Prices.—Water 20 cts. per gallon. \$4 case  
off doz. half gal. bottles. \$2.25 for 5 gal. case.  
\$4 for 10 gallons. \$7 for 20 gallons.—on board  
cars at Lynchburg, Va.  
Mass.—50 cts. and \$1 a bottle \$2.50 and \$5 for  
1 doz.—sent post paid. This Mass is the Water  
solidified and contains all the curative prop-  
erties of the water in reduced space.  
PILLS.—25 cts. 50 cts. and \$1 package, or  
\$1.25, \$2.50 and \$5 post paid, (these pills consist  
of the Mass in sugar coated pill form to suit de-  
licate conditions.) Sample supply sent free to  
any physician desiring to use it in practice.  
Pamphlet free upon application. This remedy  
of Nature is endorsed by the Medical profession  
and attested by results in thousands of cases  
during the last 27 years. Address A. M. DAVIES,  
Pres. of the Co., 73 Main st., Lynchburg, Va.  
Round trip tickets from points North and  
South at reduced rates.  
Sold by JANNEY & CO., Agents, Alexan-  
dria, Va. ap 18-3m

**FINANCIAL.**  
**BURKE & HERBERT.**  
Dealers in  
**GOVERNMENT BONDS**  
LOCAL STOCKS AND ALL FIRST CLASS  
RAILROAD BONDS,  
and other good investment securities, have for  
sale the new  
**\$10 U. S. 4 per cent Bonds,**  
Also COUPONS, (Alexandria city and Vir-  
ginia) receivable for taxes.  
As agents for the Funding Association of  
the United States of America, we are now ready  
to receive for funding all classes of VIRGINIA  
SECURITIES, on precisely the same terms as  
the association itself, and we ask our friends and  
the public generally to use us as the medium  
for funding their bonds, either consols, peelers,  
coupons or interest certificates.  
BURKE & HERBERT.

**FOR SALE.**  
500 POUNDS OLD NEWSPAPERS  
AT THIS OFFICE  
sep 6-11  
**JENNINGS'S SWEATING LINIMENT,**  
a valuable article for horses; also Giles' Lin-  
iment and Leadbeater's Lubricating Liniment,  
for sale by  
my 26  
**E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**

## FOR SALE OR RENT.

**FOR RENT—PLEASANT RESIDENCE**  
(THREE STORY BRICK HOUSE) No.  
40 South Washington street; has just been thor-  
oughly overhauled, papered, cleaned and  
painted; will be rented low to a good tenant.  
Apply to JANNEY & CO., No. 145 King st.,  
at once. Possession given June 1st.  
my 27-11  
RICHARD LLOYD.

**THE OCCOQUAN MILLS FOR SALE OR**  
RENT—Very favorable terms.—The above  
well known MILLS are situated at the best of  
Tide Water, on the Occoquan River, and 23  
miles from the nearest station (Woodbridge), on  
the Alexandria and Fredericksburg railroad,  
having water communication with the city of  
Washington and Alexandria. Boats load and un-  
load directly at the mill. The mill is in good  
repair, has six run of burrs, with a capacity of  
over one hundred (100) barrels of flour in 24  
hours, and all modern improvements for making  
patent, straight, or clear flour. Water power am-  
ple. Health of the place excellent. For particu-  
lars acquire by letter or in person of the man-  
ager.  
J. T. JANNEY,  
Occoquan, Va.  
Attached to the mill is a very superior SAW  
MILL with a capacity of about 3,000 feet per  
day. my 10-11

**FOR RENT—HOUSE No. 104 Duke street,**  
between Pitt and St. Asaph streets. Apply  
to J. H. D. SMOOT.

**FOR RENT—HOUSE No. 35 Cameron st.,**  
between Fairfax and Lee. Apply to  
J. H. D. SMOOT.

**FOR RENT—One TWO STORY FRAME**  
DWELLING HOUSE, with a brick back  
building, on the northeast corner Wilkes and  
Pitt streets. Also one TWO STORY FRAME  
DWELLING on the southwest corner Wash-  
ington and Wolfe streets.

**C. C. SMOOT & SONS,**  
21 King street.  
Feb 18-11

**LAND FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.**  
1000 ACRES IN WEST VIRGINIA,  
(all arable)  
WILL BE SOLD LOW,  
or exchanged for land in Piedmont, Va.  
30 K. M. LAWSON Alexandria, V

**DRY GOODS.**  
**SEASONABLE DRESS GOODS.**  
We open to day the most attractive assortment  
of Dress Goods offered this season, viz: French  
Organdie, very beautiful; Pacific Lawns, new  
styles and very handsome; Plain and Figured  
Linen Lawns, just in season; full line of Boil-  
ing water proof goods; Black French Bunting,  
divided Black Damascene Grenadines at \$1, worth  
\$1.50; Percales and Organdies in great variety;  
Madras Ginghams and Cheviots; also Corsets,  
Gauze Marino Vests, Neck Ties, new style Lace  
Top Gloves, very pretty, Collars and Cuffs,  
Handkerchiefs, Edges, Dress Buttons, Trimming  
Silks, all shades, together with many other goods  
specially suited to the season.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
H. B. Hoopes,  
je 2 No. 109 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.

**FANS, LAWN**  
**SUMMER**  
**UNDERWEAR**  
NEW STOCK.  
**PRETZELDER & CO.,**  
my 27 144 KING STREET.

**NEW GOODS.**  
Just opened another lot of  
WASH POPLINS, so cheap,  
FANCY PRINTS,  
BLEACHED and BKO. COTTONS,  
with many other goods, to which I invite early  
attention.  
my 31  
WM. N. BERKLEY.

**MME DEMOREST'S**  
**SUMMER PATTERNS**  
Just received. Call and get catalogue.  
H. B. Hoopes, D. F. BRASHEAR, Sole Agents.  
Also a great many New Goods per express  
from New York, specially suited to the season.  
Please examine stock.  
H. B. Hoopes, D. F. BRASHEAR,  
my 16 No. 109 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.

**GREAT DEMAND FOR BUNTINGS.**  
Monday, May 6, 1879  
Another invoice of these popular goods just  
received from New York. Also a full assort-  
ment of Corsets, Ladies' Merino Vests, Hand-  
kerchiefs, Silk Ties, Shetland Shawls, Hosiery,  
Kitts, Madras Ginghams, Grenadines and  
many other choice goods, all at down prices.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
H. B. Hoopes, No. 109 King street,  
Alexandria, Va. my 6

**NEW STOCK**  
—OR—  
**Spring and Summer Dry Goods.**  
Having just returned from the East with a  
well selected stock of reasonable  
DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c.,  
bought at the prevailing low prices, I respect-  
fully solicit an examination of my stock.  
I would call particular attention to our NEW  
FANCY HOSE, and to the PEARL SHIRT. Best  
material, best fit, best workmanship and lowest  
prices.

**D. BENDHEIM,**  
112 KING STREET,  
ap 22-1m

**FANCY GOODS.**  
**SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.**  
The largest, most complete and best selected  
stock of Hosiery in the city to select from.  
Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and Suspenders.  
DeJouville, Osborne, Gunzard and Counselor  
Scarfs, in all the latest colors and shades.  
Corsets, Ribbons and Handkerchiefs.  
Underwear for Ladies, Gents, Children and In-  
fants, in all sizes, from 20c to \$2 each.

**Kid and Thread Gloves in new shades.**  
Neck Ruffings, Laces, Edgings, and a full line  
of Towels, Napkins, &c.  
Sun Umbrellas and Parasols.  
Fairly and Zephyr Worsted, Germantown, Sar-  
ony and Crewel Wool.

**NEW GOODS.**  
**SUN UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS.**  
LADIES' and CHILDREN'S HOSE, BLACK  
SILK FRINGES,  
SILK and FANCY BUTTONS,  
NECK RUFFINGS,  
KID GLOVES,  
TOROON and other LACES, all of which  
will be sold at prices to suit the times at  
ap 7  
**C. C. BERRY'S.**

## MEDICINAL.

**TUTT'S**  
**PILLS!**  
INTRODUCED 1865.

**A TORPID LIVER**  
Is the fruitful source of many diseases, promi-  
nent among which are DYSPEPSIA, SICK  
HEADACHE, CONSTIPATION, DYSENTERY,  
BILIOUS FEVER, AGUE AND FEVER,  
JAUNDICE, PILES, RHEUMATISM, KID-  
NEY COMPLAINT, COLIC, &c.

**Symptoms of a Torpid Liver.**  
Loss of Appetite and Nausea, the bowels are  
costive, but sometimes alternate with looseness,  
Pain in the Head, accompanied with a dull sen-  
sation in the back part, Pain in the right side  
and under the shoulder blade, fullness after  
eating, with a disinclination to exertion of body  
or mind, Irritability of Temper, Low Spirits,  
Loss of Memory, with a feeling of having neg-  
lected some duty, General Weariness, Dizziness,  
Fluoritis at the Heart, Dots before the eyes,  
Yellow Skin, Headache generally over the right  
eye, Restlessness at night with fitful dreams,  
highly colored Urine. IF THESE WARN-  
INGS are unheeded, serious diseases will soon be  
developed.

**TUTT'S PILLS**  
Are especially adapted to such cases. A single  
dose effects such a change of feeling as to aston-  
ish the sufferer.

**TUTT'S PILLS**  
Are compounded from substances that are free  
from any properties that can injure the most  
delicate organization. They Search, Cleanse,  
Purify and invigorate the Entire System. By  
relieving the engorged liver, they cleanse the  
blood from poisonous humors, and thus impart  
health and vitality to the body, causing the  
bowels to act naturally, without which no one  
can feel well.

**A NOTED DIVINE SAYS:**  
Dr. Tutt—Dear Sir: For ten years I have  
been a martyr to Dyspepsia, Constipation and  
Piles. Last Spring your Pills were recommend-  
ed to me; I used them (but with little faith). I  
am now a well man, have a good appetite, dis-  
tinct regular stools, piles gone, and I  
have gained forty pounds solid flesh. They are  
worth their weight in gold.  
Rev. K. L. SIMMONS, Louisville, Ky.

**TUTT'S PILLS.**  
Their first effect is to increase the appetite, and  
cause the body to take on flesh, thus the system  
is nourished and by their Tonic Action on the  
Digestive Organs Regular stools are produced.  
DR. J. F. HAYWOOD, OF NEW YORK,  
SAYS:—  
"Few diseases exist that cannot be relieved by  
relieving the Liver to its normal functions, and  
for this purpose no remedy has ever been in-  
vented that has as happy an effect as TUTT'S  
PILLS."  
SOLD EVERYWHERE, PRICE 25 CENTS.  
Office, 35 Murray St., New York.  
For TUTT'S MANUAL of Valuable In-  
formation and Useful Receipts will be mailed  
free on application.

**TUTT'S**  
**HAIR DYE.**  
GRAY HAIR OR WHISKERS changed to  
Glossy Black by a single application of this  
DYE. It imparts a Natural Color, acts Instan-  
taneously, and is as Harmless as spring water.  
Sold by Druggists, or sent by express on receipt  
of \$1.  
Office, 35 Murray St., New York.

**AGRICULTURAL.**  
**GENUINE**  
**Malta Double Shovel Plow.**

**PRICE WITH TWO SHOVELS \$3.50.**  
Imitation Malta Double Shovel Plow, \$3.00  
Extra Heavy Plates per pair, 75  
" Bull Tongues, per pair, 75  
" Coulters, per pair, 75  
Genuine Baltimore Cultivators, 5 tooth, 4.50  
" " Iron Age do, 5 tooth, 5.00

**BRYANT'S STANDARD FERTILIZERS.**  
BRYANT'S PURE BONE DUST.  
BRYANT'S FRESH GROUND BLUE  
WINDSOR PLASTER.  
PERUVIAN GUANO, &c., &c.

**HERBERT BRYANT,**  
NO. 25 KING STREET.

**FINH DEALERS.**  
**NOTICE.**  
I have just returned my  
FISH PACKING BUSINESS  
At No. 42 CORPORATION FISHWHARF  
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BOOTS, in every style and quality, now  
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my 7  
**J. C. MILBURN.**

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Baltimore and Maryland brands of Sugar  
Cured Canned HAMS, small average,  
my 30  
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my 7  
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aries will be charged at advertisement rates.

**Familiar Poems.**  
Longfellow's poems are as familiar to all in-  
structors as the language of the school room.  
Every school boy reads and declaims them;  
every teacher, like every preacher, quotes them.  
We once passed an evening with Prof. Long-  
fellow, during which he gave us an account of  
the origin of his most popular poems. We  
will give the history of those which are com-  
mon to the "Readers" and "Speakers."

The "Psalm of Life" is probably the best  
known of these numerous school poems. It  
was written on a summer morning in 1835. It  
was a young man then, full of aspiration and  
hope, and the poem was merely an expression  
of his own feelings. It is regarded as a per-  
sonal matter—like an entry in one's journal—  
and for a long time refrained from publishing  
it. Mr. Longfellow related that, on returning  
from his visit to the Queen, an English laborer  
stepped up to the carriage and asked to shake  
hands with the writer of the "Psalm of Life."

"It was one of the best compliments I ever re-  
ceived," said the democratic poet.  
Longfellow's study is a repository of the  
beautiful things of the past; survivors, bursts  
of noble fancies, memories of departed poets.  
—Tom Moore's waste paper basket. Coleridge's  
inkstand, a piece of Dante's coffin. In this  
study stood an old clock, with the colic of  
age, ticking from the floor to the ceiling. It  
numbered the hours in which his best poems  
were written. 1: was the old clock on the  
stairs.

The "Wreck of the Hesperus" was written  
in 1839 at midnight. A violent storm had  
occurred the night before; the distress and  
disasters at sea had been great, especially along  
the coast of the New England coast. The pa-  
pers of the day were full of the news of dis-  
aster. The poet was sitting alone in his study  
late at night, when the vision of the wrecked  
Hesperus came drifting on the disturbed tides  
of thought into his mind. He went to bed but  
could not sleep. He arose and wrote the poem,  
which came into his mind by whole stanzas,  
finishing them just as the clock—the old clock  
on the stairs—was striking 3.

Sir Walter Scott says that he was led to  
write the romance of "Kenilworth" because  
the first stanza of Mickle's famous ballad "Cum  
oor Hall" haunted him:  
"The dews of Summer night did fall,  
The moon, sweet reagent of the sky,  
Silvered the towers of Cumoor Hall;  
And mused an oak that grew thereby."

Longfellow says that he was, as he thinks,  
led to write the "Wreck of the Hesperus" be-  
cause the words "Norman Woe," which were  
associated with the disasters at sea, seemed to  
him so indecisively sad.  
"Excelsior" was written after receiving a let-  
ter from Charles Sumner full of lofty senti-  
ments.